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Constancy.

I will be true. Mad stars forsake their courses,
And, led by reckless meteors, turn away
From paths appointed by the Eternal Forces;
But my fixed heart shall never go astray,
Like those calm words, whose sun-directed motion
Is undisturbed by strife of wind or sea,
So shall my swerveless and serene devotion
Sweep on forever, loyal unto thee.

I will be true. The fickle tide divided
Between two wooing shores, in wild unrest
May, to and fro, shift, always undecided.
Not so the tide of passion in my breast:
Like the grand surge of some resistless river
That hurries on, past mountain, vale and lea,
Unto the main its waters to deliver,
So my full heart keeps all its wealth for thee

I will be true. Light barks may be belated
Or turned aside by every breeze at play,
While sturdy ships, well mannered and richly freighted,
With broad sails flying, anchor safe in bay.
Like some firm rock, that, steadfast and unshaken,
Stands all unmoved, when ebbing billows flee,
So would my heart stand, faithful, if forsaken,
I will be true, though thou art false to me.

—Ella Wheeler.

ONLY A GARDENER.

An evening in early spring, grey and clouded, a low-ceiled, plainly-furnished apartment in an out-of-the-way old house, and though the other rooms are the perfection of neatness, this one is in all the disarray and abandonment of art.

Two young girl-students are resting after their day's work—resting, each after her own manner. To one, Gertrude Trevelyan, the word implied utter repose; she, therefore, leaned back her regal-looking head in a comfortable old chair, as with half-closed eyes, the words dropped listlessly from her coral lips. But to Esther Forbes, rest was merely something less laborious, and seated on the hearth-rug, by the fitful glimmer of fire-light, she glanced over a daily paper, "to glean," as she said, "a little news for grandfather at supper-time."

"Oh, Gertie!" she cried, "listen to this: 'The Art Decorative Company is offering three prizes—first, second, and third class—for the best design for screen decorations. It is to be a yearly competition.' How I should like to compete for one of the prizes!"

"And should not I? Let us commence to-morrow." And so saying, Gertrude sat upright in her chair, and opened wide her great dark eyes.

"How delightful 'twould be," said she, "to awake some morning and find oneself famous—to read in a paragraph, 'Miss Gertrude Trevelyan has obtained the first prize and a gold medal for the most original design.'"

"I shall be content with the second," replied Esther; "for that fifty pounds is just what I shall want next summer."

"And what do you want so much money for, child?"

"Ah, Gertie! were I as rich as you, I, too, might work for fame; but you remember how my dear old grandfather suffered from last summer's heat, and yet refused to take from our little income the sum requisite for a two months' sojourn by the sea. If I could put this into his hand, and say, 'Let us go, dear grandpa, like two happy pilgrims and enjoy Old Ocean's breezes,' oh, how proud I should be!"

The girls were not relatives, but only neighbors, and the home of each was in that pleasant art-suburb of London that has grown up of recent years about that Cockney's paradise, Hampstead Heath.

But as Mrs. Trevelyan disliked the litter and untidiness of an artist's room, Gertrude frequently came and "worked," as she called it, in her friend's studio.

Esther did not name her aspirations to her grandfather, but she lay awake many a long hour, thinking out that proposed design.

The next morning, she found a note from her friend—she would be absent for a few days, as her mother had made some engagements for them both—and very glad was Esther to be alone with her unrealized thoughts.

In the visions of the night, a sister art, Poesy, had come to her aid, and the subject chosen was from Hood's idyllic poem, "The Plea of the Midsummer Fairies," where the little elves are entreating the pity of remorseless Time.

She designed it rapidly, and on long the picture told its own story.

The old Mower could not be introduced—*he* would have demanded too much space—but one hand, portions of his grey, colorless raiment, and his scythe, to which clung fresh grass, were visible. And as Hood describes it:

"A shady and sequestered scene,
Like those famed gardens of Boccaccio—"

So the fairies were in half-shadow and in various attitudes—some kneeling imploringly, some bowed down with grief, others—"the loyal fays"—surrounding their queen, as though to protect her, while a few had, in despair, cast themselves upon the ground among the flowers.

One, that seemed to have stepped out from that bosky leafage to plead with "the dread King of years," pointed to a group of lilies in the picture's centre, upon which fell a broad ray of moonlight—as, with their stems folded in their large green leaves, those pale, pure lilies stood serene amid that desolation—and symbolic of the lines Esther had selected as her motto:

"And she that purifies the light,
The virgin Lily, faithful to her white,
Whereon Eve wept in Eden for her shame."

"But I must have some real lilies!" exclaimed Esther. "'Tis the most important part of the picture."

And away she went to a florist's, the most extensive in the entire neighborhood, and where she was well known.

But he had not even one, and declared, at that season, they could not be procured.

"You might see some at Mr. Montcalm's of Oakleigh House, Miss Forbes," said Mrs. Jourdain, the florist's wife; "for they have a fine conservatory, and a first-class gardener attends to it. You will find him quite a gentleman, and he will allow you to draw from anything you like."

Esther further learned that Mr. and Mrs. Montcalm had lately returned from the South of France, and that the lady was so fond of plants and flowers that he spared no expense to gratify her taste.

The next morning, armed with her sketch-book and portable color-box, she set forth, but could only ride a portion of the distance, for the way lay through lanes and roads leading to various residences.

But at length Oakleigh House was reached, and there the great gates so appalled poor Esther that, but for the hope of gaining that prize, she would have retreated in dismay.

In a few days Gertrude again visited the studio, but this time to watch her friend's progress only, having abandoned her own attempt.

"It is exquisite!" said she, after a careful survey. "But you have not related your interview, further than the door of the conservatory was opened—then you broke off to show me the picture."

"I had to wait so long, and feared the gardener would never come, so I found my way to the lilies alone. But, Gertie, I have fallen in love with that gardener! And as I don't know his name, I mentally call him 'Claude Melnotte.'"

"In love with a gardener, child? I hope not! But pray sketch for me in words this paragon of Adam's calling."

"He is probably between twenty-five and thirty. Not exactly handsome, but a good face, expressive of great intelligence; a pleasant—indeed, melodious voice; and he has certainly some artistic taste, for when apparently wondering at my lily-craze, I described the design, he then made a few valuable suggestions. And he gave me such a basketful of ferns and flowers and greenery—sending it here to me—that I hope he won't get into trouble with Mr. Montcalm for so doing!"

"If you looked as you do now, Esther, with your waves of golden hair and rapt, brown eyes, like some peri that has lost her way, then I should not be surprised if he fell in love also. But only a gardener! Ah, well! Of course, you will go no more to Oakleigh House?"

"No, indeed, Gertie; but he asked permission to call and see my picture before I sent it away."

And one day he did come, bringing a magnificent bouquet, and this time gave his name, which was Bernard.

Ester Forbes' picture was considered very beautiful and highly poetic; but—ah, when does not a but, or an if, or some other stumbling-block exist?—it did not gain the first prize.

She was, however, awarded the second, and that, with the sale of later artistic work, amply sufficed for the accomplishment of her project—a trip to the Isle of Wight with her grandfather, Captain Forbes, who, having been a sailor nearly all his life, was, in that truly maritime little spot just as happy as the summer days were long.

But before their departure, Bernard was unfortunately the cause of a separation between the two girls.

He had come again and again to the little out-of-the-way house in Hampstead, had avowed his love, had asked Esther Forbes to be his wife, and finally had gained her grandfather's consent to their marriage.

"Mr. Bernard is not a common gardener," urged Esther to her friend. "He might have employment on the estate of some great nobleman; but I believe the Montcalms like him greatly, and he does not wish to leave Oakleigh."

"It is not the money, but the position, that I think of," answered Miss Trevelyan, with a fine look of scorn upon her proud, handsome features.

"But I am not ambitious. Neither can I look very high. You know that my grandfather has little besides his pension."

"Yet, an officer in the navy always holds a certain rank. However, have your own way, and blame no one but yourself, if some of your friends are less cordial than formerly."

"I consider Henry Bernard a most honorable man. He is kind-hearted, he is highly intelligent, and he loves me, and I would not give him up for every friend that I have. Therefore, Miss Trevelyan, you are at liberty to set the others an example."

They did not meet again until one day during the following winter, and that chance meeting was in the wonderous city of Rome, where so many, whether bent on pleasure, novelty, or study, and some from a yet higher motive, find their way.

Gertrude Trevelyan, with a party of friends in one of the art galleries, when a lady whose face appeared familiar passed by.

She was richly dressed, and accompanied by a gentleman.

"If that is the Esther Forbes of olden days," she soliloquized, "then success to gardening!"

She went toward her, saying, as she held out a daintily-gloved little hand:

"Will you allow me to congratulate you, Mrs.——"

"I am rejoiced to meet you, Gertie," interrupted Esther, "and to present you to my husband, Mr. Montcalm. Henry, this is Miss Trevelyan of whom you have frequently heard me speak."

"I will leave you for awhile to talk over old times," said he, after expressing his pleasure at the introduction.

"My breath is taken away!" gasped Gertrude, when they were alone together. "Did the moonlight fairies bring about this romance?"

"I think they did," replied Esther, laughing—"through the agency of the lilies, and I will relate the story in Mr. Montcalm's own words.

"'On that eventful morning a message was brought to me that a young lady requested to see the hothouse, and was, she said, permitted to use the name of Jourdain, the florist. Our gardener had gone to a sale of shrubs, but as his return was delayed, I went to explain matters, while collecting a few early violets from their frames. You'—for this was addressed to me—'evidently mistook my identity, and appearing rather embarrassed, I thought it better to leave you uninformed. Then the shyness wore off, melted away by the enthusiasm with which you described your proposed sketch.'

"I must omit all the sweet nonsense, Gertie, but Henry always says that I carried away his heart that morning.

"I believe he once had a theory, through some youthful disappointment, that all womankind was self-interested, and here was an opportunity to test the sincerity of one, whom he alleges to have singled out from the rest of the world."

"And this revelation took place before your marriage?"

"Yes—for that he had always intended—and it was uttered to me and to the waves during one lovely twilight hour, when he had rushed down for a brief visit to our little sea-girt home."

"And Captain Forbes—what did he say?"

"It was some time before he could grasp the entire facts, being so much less poetic than practical."

"But oh, Esther!—how about the other Mrs. Montcalm?"

"She is Henry's mother, and the very kindest and dearest old lady. She also has had her little romance; for as Miss Bernard (my husband's second name) she gave up the lover of her youth to comply with her father's desire, and though a good and loyal wife, was never a very happy one, and henceforth resolved not to control the choice of her son."

"Have you had time to conclude your chat?" asked Mr. Montcalm, on returning to them.

"Not quite," was his wife's reply. "But Miss Trevelyan will pass the remainder of the day with us."

"No, Esther," said Gertrude; "you have generously overlooked my once unkind comments, but cannot have forgiven them."

"They are both forgiven and forgotten, dear. And now, Gertrude," she whispered, "Henry's cousin, Jack Ellery, is to dine with us. He admires brunettes above all others, and I can find some scarlet blossoms to wreathe in your dark hair. And as Jack, like yourself, is an amateur artist, scorning lucre but craving fame, you can enter into a partnership to design something for next competition, and then—who knows? for strange happenings surround us unexpectedly."

And as Gertrude was whirling along in her friend's carriage, away out to their Roman villa, within her own mind she partially repeated her friend's words:

"Truly, strange, very strange happenings do come to us—sometimes!"

Something Yet to be Invented.

A scientific gentleman in this city, speaking recently to a *Graphic* representative, said: "I believe that before long an instrument will be invented which will do away with the stenographers in our courts and offices. They were badly scared when Edison invented his phonograph, which would faithfully record the sounds of the human voice as well as those of musical instruments. That idea only needs to be developed to produce a machine that will answer all the purposes of the modern short-hand writer, and in fact be a more faithful recorder of all that takes place within its range, sounds such as laughs, sighs, moans etc., that a stenographer cannot write, it being alike susceptible to. Another advance in this line would be a machine which would automatically write out these recorded sounds, as on a type-writer, and thus every man could be his own amanuensis. Inventors are now looking into this matter.—*New York Graphic.*

A town in Connecticut has a lot containing five graves, one in the center and the others near by at the four points of the compass. The center grave bears the brief inscription, "Our husband," I. wife," "My II. wife," "My III. wife," "My IV. wife."

A correspondent says that a Philadelphia girl, who has lived in Europe since she was a child, will create a sensation at Long Branch, where she will spend the summer, by the extraordinary beauty of her complexion. It is said she owes it all to the old recipe of sleeping every night with a piece of raw beef on each cheek. She has practiced this for eight years, and she is now only nineteen.

TENDERS.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned up to noon of SATURDAY, the 30th August, for the erection and completion of a Villa Residence facing Fort street. Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
au21 JNO. TEAGUE, Architect.

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ARTHUR H. McBRIDE,
Warden B.C.P.
B.C. Penitentiary, Aug. 15th, 1884. au17td

NOTICE.

TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, PROPERLY ENDORSED, will be received by Fred'k Sones, Esq., Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of TUESDAY, 2nd September next, for the

CONSTRUCTION OF A SLEIGH ROAD VIA MARBLE CANON AND HAT CREEK,

To connect the Lillooet Road with the Cariboo Trunk Road.

Specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned, or at the Government office, Clinton.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor General.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 19th Aug., 1884. au20

PUBLIC NOTICE.

KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS, PROPERLY endorsed, will be received by the honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to Noon of Saturday, 30th August next, for the right of maintaining and operating a Ferry at any or each of the following places, for a term of five years, viz:—

1st. On the Columbia River, about 30 miles below Kicking Horse, at the point where the Canadian Pacific Railway crosses said River.
2nd. On the Columbia River, at the point where the Canadian Pacific Railway crosses said River, near the Eagle Pass.
3rd. On the Columbia River, at a point known as Johnston's Landing, about 30 miles above Kicking Horse.
4th. On the Columbia River, opposite the Spallumcheen River, and about 20 miles above Johnston's Landing.
5th. On the Kicking Horse Creek, at a point where the trail crosses, about ¼ a mile above the mouth of said Creek.
6th. On the Kootenay River, at a point known as the Upper Crossing.

The ferry right to extend five miles above and five miles below the respective points indicated.

Any party to whom a charter may be awarded shall provide and maintain a substantial ferry boat, and proper appliances for working the same, a description of which must be given with his tender.

Tenders shall state the rate of toll proposed to be collected for—

Each Passenger;
" Team with waggon and driver,
" Saddle Horse and rider,
" Loose Horse or Mule,
" Head of Cattle,
" Sheep, Swine, &c.,
" Hundred pounds weight of freight.

Tenders must also state the amount of the annual rental to be paid to the Government for the privilege, and with each tender must be submitted the names of two responsible parties willing to sign a Bond for the sum of $500 as security for the faithful carrying out of the contract.

All officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 15th July, 1884. jy25td

GRAVING DOCK!

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Graving Dock, B. C.," will be received at this office until SATURDAY, 20th September next, 1884, inclusively, for the construction and completion of the partially finished

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According to plans and specifications to be seen on and after Monday, 1st September next, at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and on application to the Hon. J. W. Trutch, Victoria, B.C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied and prices affixed to the *whole* of the items stated therein and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an *accepted* bank cheque *for the sum of* $7,500.00, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender. By order,

F. H. ENNIS,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 8th Aug., 1884. au11

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JAMES FELL.
Victoria B.C., 2nd July, 1884. jy4

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JAMES McNERHANIE.
Victoria, B.C., 2nd July, 1884. jy4

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease two hundred and forty (240) acres of timber lands, situated in New Westminster District, near Malaspina Strait, about two miles east of Grief Point, described as follows:—

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KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLlowing described lands are hereby reserved from sale or settlement until further notice, viz:—

LANDS A.—Containing and consisting of about two thousand (2,000) acres of grazing land situated between the Upper Columbia Lake and the Upper Kootenay River at the point where the latter approaches the former to within a distance of two miles, or less, and which point is known as the "first crossing of Kootenay Lake;" also, the swamp and bottom lands on the Upper and Middle Kootenay River, between the "first crossing" and the International boundary line, which are now subject to an overflow during high water season, and which swamp and bottom lands are of an estimated area of about twenty-two thousand five hundred (22,500) acres.

LANDS B.—Containing and consisting of the following approximated areas of swamp and bottom lands on the Lower Kootenay River, described in Mr. A. S. Farwell's "Report on the Kootenay Reclamation Scheme," under date of 31st December, 1883, as consisting of—

Flat 1 containing about 9,000 acres
" 3 " " 8,000 "
" 4 " " 8,000 "
The Island " " 5,000 "
} 30,000 acres of swamp and bottom land

Also, that piece of land containing about two thousand five hundred (2,500) acres, bounded and described as follows, that is to say: commencing at a point where the boundary line intersects the Lower Kootenay River; thence running east along the said boundary line (40) chains; thence true north to Goat River; thence following Goat River to the said swamp lands before described as Flat No. 1; and thence along the foothills in a southerly direction to the Kootenay River; and thence following the right bank of the Lower Kootenay River to the point of commencement. Also, twenty-five (25) acres at Rocky Point on the left bank of the Lower Kootenay River, at the head of the Island

LANDS C.—Containing and consisting of the approximate areas described in the aforesaid "Report on the Kootenay Reclamation Scheme" as Flat No. 2, consisting of about fifteen thousand (15,000) acres of more or less permanently overflowed marsh or lagoon land lying on the right bank of the Lower Kootenay River, between Goat River and Kootenay Lake.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 13th Aug., 1884. au17 1w

NOTICE.

ALL ASSESSORS UNDER THE "ASSESSMENT Act, 1876," and amending Acts, are hereby instructed to complete their Rolls on or before the 30th November next; and the duties of all Courts of Revision and Appeal, under such Statutes, are to be completed and the Rolls finally revised on or before the 31st December next.

By Command.
JNO ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary
Provincial Secretary's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 16th August, 1884. au22w2t

NOTICE.

DURING TEMPORARY ABSENCE FROM VICtoria, Mr. H. P. Cramer will have charge of the business of the undersigned
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DOMINION LICENSE ACT.

YALE DISTRICT.

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Dated 25th July, 1884.

M. LUMBY,
First License Commissioner, Spallmucheen.
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NOTICE.

A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT OF VICtoria will be held at the Court House, Cowichan, on Thursday, the 18th day of September next.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
5th August, 1884. au8 1m

Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUG. 24TH, 1884.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

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WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST AND conviction of any person who may steal *The Colonist* from the door of a subscriber.

PROTECTION IN AMERICAN POLITICS.

The protection of labor is one of the chief duties of a government, and seems to be recognized as such by the mass of the American people during the present political campaign. The republican party have made a protective policy, the basis of their platform and their candidate, Mr. Blaine, gave the subject most prominent attention in his letter of acceptance. After the signal defeat in congress of the Morrison bill for the reduction of tariff, it was expected that the democrats would be politic enough to insert a protective plank in their platform, but this they refused to do, and the consequence is that a large number who favored protection have alienated themselves from the main democratic party, and under the name of the labor party have nominated for president General Butler, a man who holds their views in regard to the protection of labor. The protectionists are sure to win in the coming struggle in the United States, though not Gen. Butler, but the republican candidate, Blaine, will probably be the lucky man. The country has prospered so well under the protective tariff that the majority of the people are in favor of continuing it. Laboring men know that free trade would introduce into the country the products of the cheaper labor in other countries. The result of this would be the reduction of wages, and the bringing down of laborers to the level of laborers in the old countries. It is the aim of all high minded statesmen to prevent this. In Europe and Asia the working classes go on from generation to generation with little or no improvement. The compensation for their labor is only sufficient for the necessities of life, and they have no means of elevating themselves. But in the United States and Canada wages have always been such that every working man, though perhaps not able to become rich, can, at best, enjoy many comforts and make provision for old age. Under a protective policy, keeping out the cheap products of foreign lands, both Canada and he United States will be able to preserve this superior condition of the working people. The protection which was once afforded by distance has been done away with by the increased facilities for transportation, and only a continuance of a wise protective tariff in both countries can insure the future welfare of the people.

THE AGRICULTURAL INJUNCTION.

The injunction served on the officers of the Agricultural Society and the city corporation, enjoining them against proceeding with the erection of the exhibition buildings on Beacon Hill Park, has caused much and generally unfavorable comment. Hyde Park in London was not deemed too sacred for the great world exhibitions to be held within its borders. The Champs de Mars in Paris was devoted to the purposes of the Exposition Universal in 1867 without so much as a voice being raised against its use. The Fairmount Park in Philadelpnia was used for the American centennial exhibition in 1876. All these great parks were set apart for the "use and recreation of the public for ever," and it is difficult to conceive a more useful and public object than an exhibition of the industrial products of a country. It has been reserved for a citizen of this fair town of Victoria to earn the unenviable distinction of objecting to the devotion of a small corner of Beacon Hill Park for the purposes of an agricultural exhibition. This same citizen has for years past witnessed the sale of spirits within the confines of the same park; he has seen a portion of the park fenced in for a cricket ground, and has known a fee to be charged persons who might wish to view horse races from the grand stand, without a murmur. But the moment a useful and progressive institution like the Agricultural Society, with the consent of the lawful custodians of the park—the city councilors—selects a small tract in an obscure corner for the encouragement and advancement of the noble pursuit of agriculture, he flies to the courts and procures an injunction. Well, we hope that the city council and the society will fight this litigious gentleman in the courts, even if it should take the entire resources of both to establish their right. Custom and precedent and we believe the law, too, are with them, and they ought not tamely to submit to this unwarrantable and unconstitutional interference.

THE COMMISSION.

The Chinese commission held its last session on Thursday morning. The evidence given orally before the commission was not altogether of a nature calculated to do much towards convincing the commission that Chinamen are a curse to the country. However, a great deal of information was handed in to the commission in writing, and probably in this the Chinese may not have secured so good a character. In his remarks to the deputation at Nanaimo, Mr. Chapleau stated that he had obtained evidence to convince him that there were sufficient grounds for the grievance, and that he would advise a restrictive measure to be submitted to parliament at its next session. The commission will hold sittings in Ottawa so that any who may desire to submit further evidence can forward it to them there. To doubt facts and figures were almost impossible to get hold of, for although every inhabitant knows personally of the detrimental effect the Chinese have always had on white labor, yet to put this knowledge in a statistical form would be a hard matter. It is a matter of a few months' time before the federal government will be in session, so there need be no impatience indulged in. It will then be decided whether the petition of almost every inhabitant in this province shall be denied or granted; whether this far western link of the great confederation shall be peopled with the sturdy, go-ahead, enterprising Caucasian; or the mild-eyed, conservative, plodding Mongolian, who is but little benefit outside of his own race so far as the general wealth and prosperity of the country is concerned.

THE KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

The action of the Knights of Labor in appearing before the commission on Friday was a complete reversal of the Fabian policy which that body adopted at the beginning of the inquiry. Their resolve to stand aloof was vigorously denounced in these columns, where it was pointed out that the members laid themselves open to censure from a portion of the public. That censure did the order grave injustice, and we felt that so soon as the members saw the questionable position in which they had been placed they would retrace their steps. This they have done; and in appearing before the commission and pressing their objections to the presence of the Chinese they have acted wisely. The evidence of the chairman of the Knights' deputation will be invaluable in assisting the commission in framing their report; while the trenchant appeal of the president of the order—Mr. C. Booth—his formidable array of facts and his admirable indictment of the slave-system and vices inherent to the Chinese must have opened the commissioners' eyes. The commission will carry to Ottawa a great mass of valuable information supplied from the local government, the police, the Knights of Labor, private individuals and from personal observation. Upon this information they will be enabled to submit a report upon which will be founded a restrictive measure. The action of the Knights, although tardy, is none the less commendable. It would have been well had they attended the public meeting at the city hall in force and controled its voice in the interest of common sense and good judgment.

THE "HARD TIMES."

Our young contemporary of the Times insinuates that THE COLONIST is anxious to destroy it. The insinuation is the acme of ingratitude. No paper ever appeared that was better received by its contemporaries. It has had a fair field and a great deal of favor from the start. The criticisms it has received from this journal have been drawn out by its own mistakes. THE COLONIST does not wish the Times dead; but it wants it to act with some regard to the decencies and proprieties of journalism. Although young in point of age it is already grizzly in sin. Its endeavor to revive the Fight Canada policy is in keeping with its effort to plant on this neutral ground the party shibboleths of the east; and its attack on the city of Victoria equals its blackguardly assaults on the local government. The Times, for aught that we care, may live a thousand years; but it shall not misrepresent and misquote or do mischief without having (metaphorically speaking) its head punched. Its course in endeavoring to create a feeling of hostility in British Columbia towards Canada is villainous and will surely result in serious injury to if it does not ruin the paper that promulgates such stuff.

Lorne Creek.

TO THE EDITOR:—The reports appearing from time to time in the Victoria newspapers with regard to the new gold creek on the Skeena river are calculated to mislead and deceive those "to whom the yellow fever still adheres with unabated force." The creek in question undoubtedly contains gold more are less (I have myself handled a considerable amount of it); but the ravine is little better than a very narrow canyon, the base of which is in many parts inaccessible. The waters render working impracticable during nine months of the year. That position of the creek in which the gold lies is very limited, and the whole of it already taken up. Two old forty-niners are here who have worked on the creek, and whose report is a corroborative of the above. Parties are coming here by every steamer, induced to come by the reports in circulation, and for whom I feel certain there is nothing but bitter disappointment in store. I might mention I have no interest directly or indirectly in Lone Creek. Yours respectfully,

LEX.

Skeena River, Aug. 15, 1884.

Leprosy in the Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Truth's latest sensation is the following: This morning intense excitement prevailed at Jersey City, over the report that a number of cases of leprosy have been discovered in that city. It is claimed there is no longer doubt that a number of lepers could be found among Celestial laundrymen. The county physician, when asked about it, said: "We are fully alive to the importance of the charges made, but can take no action until some specific complaint is formulated. It is a serious matter."

Dr. H. H. Cahill was seen. He said: "These Chinese generally live in basements, with dark cellars in the rear, where no white man is ever allowed to go. No one can tell how much disease is lurking in them. I am personally cognizant of a number of cases which I think are leprosy in the earliest stages. The disease is primarily caused by vice and filth, and the Chinese are addicted to both. I have no doubt that there are many cases concealed in these caverns, right in the very heart of Jersey City and Hoboken. In San Francisco they are quarantined, and we will soon be obliged to do it here."

A number of other physicians express the same sentiments.

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HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR in Council has been pleased to order that:—
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2. This order shall not interfere with the sittings of the Full Court.
By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
12th August, 1884. au15 2w

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NOTICE.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE NOtice published in the *British Columbia Gazette* dated 16th September, 1876, reserving the east half of Section 12, Mayne Island, has been cancelled, and that this land will be open to pre-emption and purchase three months from the date hereof.
WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 6th, 1884. au8 1m

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NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS—ALL PARTIES are warned against trespassing on North Dairy Farm under penalty of prosecution. No persons are excepted from the scope of this advertisement. All will be proceeded against according to law.
FRED'K REYNOLDS.
Victoria, Aug. 16th, 1884. au17

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MEXICO,
CAPT. HUNTINGTON,
Will sail from the VICTORIA WHARF, outer harbor, for San Francisco, on
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Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.
Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, 27th Aug.
For Freight and Passage apply to
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H. B. CO.'S BK PRINCESS ROYAL, FROM LONDON.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S BK PRINCESS ROYAL, Capt. Barfield, will commence discharging at the Company's wharf, Victoria harbor, THIS (Wednesday) MORNING.
Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the company, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the company's wharf at Victoria after four o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.
For the Hudson Bay Co.
WILLIAM CHARLES.
Victoria, Aug. 12th, 1884. au13

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Will be sold at the following rates until further notice:—

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☞ Round Trip Tickets Good Until Sept. 15th.	
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL PUBlic lands in New Westminster District, situated to the West of the North Road and the North Arm of Burrard Inlet, and lying between the North Arm of the Fraser River and a line drawn due East and West, distant five miles North of Point Roche, are reserved from sale or settlement until further notice.
WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 7th, 1884. au8 1m

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Of Sixteen Years' Practice in Hong Kong and Te Years in San Francisco,
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Of the latest styles, now on hand—the finest ever offered in Victoria.
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ALSO—A Large Variety of CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES at greatly reduced prices, to make room for my new Spring Stock now on the way direct from the Factory.
Intending purchasers are cordially invited to call and convince themselves.
mh18 J. SEHL, Government street.

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Further, a complete line of the Latest Styles of
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WITH ARTISTIC DECORATIONS.
Always on hand, the most extensive choice of
CROCKERY & GLASSWARE
Platedware, Cutlery, Lamps and Chandeliers.
Further, CARPETS of all kinds, Cocoa and Hemp and Chinese Matting, Oilcloth and Linoleum.
Intending purchasers are cordially invited to visit my establishment, examine goods and compare prices before buying elsewhere and I am sure they will not regret it, as they will save money if they favor me with their custom.
☞ A Liberal Discount on IMMEDIATE CASH PAYMENTS.
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The White House
GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA.
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NEW SEASON DRY GOODS
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UMBRELLAS.
1 case Gents' Automaton and Patent Spring Ladies Ivory and Horn Handled Silk Umbrellas.
BLACK SILKS.
Jaubert, Audras & Co 's Lyons Black Gros Grains, Cashmere, Delyon, Satin Delyon, Satin Merveilleux, Ottoman and Rhadames, Broche Matelasse, Brocaded Satins and Ottoman Broche.
COLORED SILKS.
Full line all shades Colored Dress Silks, Surat, Satins, Moire Antiques, Sarsnets.
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Lyons make all silk, various widths, from $1 25 to $7 per yard; Millinery Velvets, Velvet Ribbons.
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Black Soleil, Diagonal and Check Mantle Cloth, Black and Colored Italian Cloth, French Merinos, Cashmeres, Ottoman Cloths, Nun's Cloth, Broche and Plain Velveteens, Black and Blue Jersey Cloth, Bunting.
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A beautiful assortment of Fans, Ornamental Hair pins, Plush, Alligator and Leather Hand Bags, Fancy and Jet Buttons, Gold, Silver and Bronze Braid.
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Newest Styles in Fashionable Shades, Straw Hats and Bonnets, Ostrich Feathers and Plumes.
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Ladies' Cbintz Down Skirts, Linen and Fancy Collars, Silk Hosiery and Underwear, Hamburg Edgings and Insertion, Hoop Skirts, Bustles and Dress Improvers, Black Chinelle Fringes and Trimmings, Blk Beaded Crapes, Misses Costumes, Afghan Points, Tan Gloves.
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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUG. 24TH, 1884.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

Aug.23—Str Geo E Starr, Port Townsend
Str Yosemite, New Westminster
Str Olympian, Pt Townsend
Str R. P. Rithet, Nanaimo
Str Amelia, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Aug.23—Str Amelia, Nanaimo
Str Yosemite, New Westminster
Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str R. P. Rithet, Nanaimo
Str Olympian, Pt Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per str OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound—J Nicholson, R S Norris, J H Hiffleman, Miss Monk, S Monk, J J Loggie, C Mann, Mrs Moody, Miss Watson, Mrs Sampson and dau, W Douglas, F Finnegan, P Mann, Mrs Driver, O Kenneosley and wife, D W Hoffman, wf and ch, H Smith, J S Sheak, Miss Sheak, J Brisand wf, M P Eason and wf.

Per str ELIZA ANDERSON, fm Puget Sound—C M McFarland, D McRae, A Pentre, J Munroe and wf, B Fagin, Chas Williams, A Martin, C Birch, J McCoy, J E Pugh and dau, A McPhee, J Bell, Siebenhamer, W Clark, Salvator, A Manuels, R H Craswell, J McPhee, P Moran, Annie Healy, 10 Chinese and 3 Indians.

Per str AMELIA, fm Nanaimo—Mrs Styles, Miss Styles, J Pleace, J B Lovell, Mrs Smithe and ch, Dr Tolmie, 6 Chinese, 6 Indians.

Per str R. P. RITHET, from Nanaimo—H Carlmichael and wf, Mrs Teague, Miss Sturt, Mrs Good, Mrs Good, Mrs Monk, Miss Wilkinson, Miss Padgeter, Miss Spring, Mr Spring, Mrs Spring, J A Fraser, G Smith, H Keefer, Mr McTeague, Wright, Glavin, Mowick, Brown, Spiers, Moffatt, Findlay, Crawford, Omdorf, Warwick, Mrs Brown.

Per str BARBARA BOSCOWITZ, fm the North—Mrs Tait, J Doig, S Munson, W Park, B Powell, R Hughes, G Noult, 1 Chinaman, 1 Indian.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound—A Ofner, Wood, Caton and Co, J Crawford, W and J Wilson, W G Norris, J Whitfield, E B Carmichael, Belmont Tannery, Marvin and Tilton, J C Leasle, Langley and Co, D Spencer, Order, T Earle, J B Ferguson, J H Todd and Son, M R & Tye.

Per str BARBARA BOSCOWITZ, fm the North—Turner-Beeton, W Duncan, H Saunders, B A Packing Co, Balmoral Canning Co, Alert Bay Co, Hartnell, W Heathorn.

BIRTHS.

At Marifield, Victoria, on the 23rd inst., the wife of Richard C. Cridge, C.E., of a son.

DEATHS.

At the residence of Mr. Geo. Rowe, on the 23rd inst., Susan, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Eva, aged 5 months.

Funeral THIS AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock, from the residence of Mr. Geo. Rowe, cor. of View and Douglas streets. Friends are invited to attend.

Lotters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

AUGUST 23, 1884.

Jenny Bell, Nanaimo
J. Dougall & Son, Montreal
M. J. Elmore, Mouth Quesnelle
Wm. Forrest, Cowichan
Miss J. Grey, Seattle
Kwong On Wah, Yale
Miss L. LaPlant, Seattle
Postmaster, Seattle
Postmaster, San Francisco
Palace Hotel, San Francisco
Mrs. S. E. Prince, Walkerville, Ont.
Portland Rubber Stamp Works, Portland
Lather & Co., San Francisco
J. Wilson, Lacentre, W.T.
W. D. Woolery, Seattle

A Nephew of Sir Charles Tupper Killed on the C. P. R.

(Exclusive to The Colonist.)

YALE, Aug. 23.—Between ten and eleven this morning as James B. Tupper, said to be a nephew of Sir Charles Tupper, was standing on a box car crossing Harrison river bridge, a scantling struck him, and precipitated him on the line of the train, which ran over him, killing him dead on the spot. The body was brought to the Yale hospital.

Personal.

Dr. Tolmie, who was injured at Cowichan landing the other day, came down by the Amelia yesterday, looking none the worse for his mishap.

Mrs. W. Smithe and children returned from Cowichan yesterday.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau and Hon. Mr. Church will leave for Ottawa to-morrow morning. Mr. Justice Gray will leave for Ottawa on Friday.

Capt. Worth of the Umatilla is in town to press a claim he has against the Umatill.

Frederick Billings, ex-president of the Northern Pacific, wife and two daughters, arrived in Victoria by the Geo. E. Starr, on Friday night. They were accompanied by Col. F. P. Dodge, superintendent of river and Sound traffic of O. R. & N. Co., P. Billings, his son, and Chas. Billings, the latter's nephew, Mrs. J. M. Buckley and Miss Buckley.

Murder of Carey.

The Inland Sentinel contains the evidence given at the inquest on the body of Carey, who was murdered on the 28th of July, by W. Abieshire. The following is the verdict returned: "Deceased came to his death from a blow from a shovel in the hands of W. Abieshire; deceased had a knife in his hand at the time of the blow." After the verdict, when searched, deceased had on his person a knife, one dollar in silver and two dollars in bills.

From the North.

The Barbara Boscowitz arrived last evening from Naas river, with 7,000 cases of salmon, 250 barrels of salt salmon, a number of firs and a few passengers. The trip down was an uneventful one. Fine weather, with the exception of Friday night, when they met the storm. All was quiet in the north when she left.

Enchanting Music.

A large audience assembled yesterday afternoon at Government grounds to listen to the delightful strains of the band of H. M. S. Swiftsure, under the leadership of Mr. George Bird. The different selections on the programme were rendered with that execution, precision and expression which is only attained by careful training, and drew forth the warm plaudits of the delighted listeners.

THE VICTORIA HOUSE CLEARANCE SALE being brought to a successful termination, the store will be closed for fourteen days to complete the improvements, and will reopen on the first day of September with a complete stock of new fall goods. The proprietor will be in attendance daily to receive and pay accounts. *

NEW AUCTIONEER.—The card of Mr. George Byrnes, late sheriff of Cariboo and now a valued resident of Victoria, appears in this issue. Mr. Byrnes, who is a gentleman of experience and ability, has leased the commodious building on the northwest corner of Fort and Langley streets.

YACHT RACE.—Mr. T. Jones has accepted a challenge from Louis L. Wilton for a race between the "Scud" and the "Alert," to come off on Friday next.

A CORRESPONDENT from Aberdeen states that the canneries are busily engaged in shipping. The weather is fine and warm.

What Some People Say.

That Val Blatz's Milwaukee beer is good for ladies. For sale everywhere. 1m*

That Victoria's bookbinder will return from his honeymoon trip to San Francisco on the next steamer.

That "It seems to me," moaned Algernon, as he flew towards the front gate with the old man behind him, "that there are more than three feet in a yard."

"That "What decoration is that you are wearing?" said an Austrian sergeant to a new recruit. The man blushed deeply and responded: "It's a medal our cow won at the cattle show."

That 100 men's odd suits
will be offered at
prices never heard of in Victoria before,
to make room
for goods now on the way.
Call and see prices, at
Mechanics' Store, Johnson street. *

That some ingenious observer has discovered that there is a remarkable resemblance between a baby and wheat, since it is first cradled, then thrashed, and finally becomes the flour of the family.

THAT YOU OUGHT TO SEE THE BEAUTIFUL PICTURE OF "VICTORIA AND VICINITY" IN J. B. FERGUSON'S & CO.'S WINDOW. IT IS UNIVERSALLY ACKNOWLEDGED TO BE THE FINEST WORK OF ART EVER EXECUTED OF OUR BEAUTIFUL CITY.

That in a conversation the other day on a steamer a learned justice asked a worthy M.P. the difference between the habit of Chinese smoking opium and that of the white man getting drunk. The latter replied that there was a great difference, "the one being a Christian practice and the other a heathen vice."

THE VICTORIA HAND BOOK AT FERGUSON'S

That the young women of Schenectady, N. Y., are resolved to girlcott any young man that smokes or goes out of the theatre between the acts.

That a man may be a bachelor and be good, but the chances are against him.

THE VICTORIA HAND BOOK AT FERGUSON'S

That the peach crop and speech crop both promise to be large this year.

That a man will put his best foot forward if he has a sore toe on the other foot.

That the Columbian suggests that the name of the new town on Burrard Inlet be called Sir John. Not inappropriate.

THAT THE BENEFIT DERIVED FROM OUR DAILY MAILS IS FELT BY THE ADDITION TO OUR CAGE'S SERIES OF THE SECOND AND FIFTH READERS.

T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

That a strange case of the unequal working of the Irish laws lately occurred in Ireland. Some time ago a Mr. Smythe, who was an unpopular landlord, was shot at from behind a hedge when driving home from church. The bullet missed him, but hit his sister-in-law, and she died from the effects. The district in which it occurred was fined $25,000, under the Compensation for Disturbance Act, but, as the whole district belongs to Mr. Smythe, he is the only one that has to pay.

That a Massachusetts girl has been frightened to death by a kiss! Don't believe it.

Look out for the
G. M.
Hunting boot with rubber soles,
At Geo. H. Maynard's. *

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"PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY."—Rubber Stamps of all kinds made to order. R. T. WILLIAMS, Broad street.

That the King Tye Co. are leading manufacturers and importers of clothing, groceries, etc. *

That THOMAS NICHOLSON, Family Grocer, corner Douglas and Johnson streets, has a new stock of Groceries and Provisions, Lard, Hams and Bacon, packed by the famous house of Logus and Dierenger, Oregon city. Goods delivered. Fine Wines and Liquors. Prices low *3m

Marine.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz arrived from Naas River last evening.

The A 1 iron British barque Haidee, chartered by R. C. Janion & Co., of Liverpool, will leave that place on the 20th of Sept. for Victoria and Portland.

The ship Lucille having completed her cargo of coal at the Vancouver Coal Co.'s dock yesterday and will leave for San Francisco immediately.

The steamer Wellington left Nanaimo for San Francisco yesterday with a load of Wellington coal.

The barque P. G. Carvil, Capt. McPhee, will be towed to Departure Bay to-morrow by the Alexander to load coal for San Francisco.

Steamer Wellington from Departure Bay for San Francisco passed yesterday morning.

STEAMER Princess Louise arrived at Nanaimo at 5.30 yesterday morning, and after coaling proceeded on her passage north.

THE bark Princess Royal having finished discharging her cargo, has moved up to Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—Arrived—Str. Oregon, 81 hours from Portland; str. Queen of the Pacific, 64 hours from Victoria.

Cleared—Str. Idaho, Carroll, Sitka, etc.; barque Malay, Port Townsend; barque Grace Roberts, Larsen, Pt. Townsend; ship Detroit, Nanaimo. Sailed—Barque Ella S. Thayer, Nelson, Astoria.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 23.—Breadstuffs weak and inactive.

ARTHUR RICHARD WELLESLEY, Duke of Wellington, who dropped dead at a railway station in Brighton, England, a short time ago, was the second son of that line, his father, the distinguished military commander, having received his dukedom as a reward for signal services performed in behalf of the British nation. The deceased, who was well advanced in years, recently edited seventeen volumes of his father's despatches and memoranda. He never took a very active part in public affairs.

THE THUNDERSTORM.—The council should be very thankful to nature for the assistance rendered them in cleansing the drains by the thunder shower of Friday night. The citizens will doubtless be thankful to the Supreme Being anyway for allowing the city to smell sweet at least one day.

CHINESE RETURNS.—Among the thousands of Chinamen in Victoria city, and in Victoria and Esquimalt districts, the following are the returns of those who have paid the provincial revenue tax during the past years:—

Jan. 1, 1882 to Dec. 31, 1882	572
Jan. 2, 1883 to Dec. 31, 1883	1,102
Jan. 2, 1884 to July 31, 1884	1,010

The collections for 1884 are still going on.

AT CURTIS' POINT.—Dr. Matthews and Mr. Carl Strouss entertained their lady and gentlemen friends at a picnic at Curtis' Point yesterday. Some 200 responded to the invitation, and a most agreeable afternoon was passed.

THE Pilot and Whitelaw will commence at low tide this morning to pump the water from the Umatilla and endeavor to get her out of water.

THE BOARD OF TRADE AND HON. MR. CHAPLEAU.

An Interesting Interview.

Yesterday, noon, Hon. Mr. Chapleau, secretary of state of the Dominion, received the following members of the B. C. Board of Trade in the library of the legislative assembly building. R. P. Rithet, president; M. T. Johnston, vice-president; E. Crow Baker, M. P., secretary; R. Dunsmuir, M. P. P., Noah Shakespeare, M. P., Robert Ward, E. G. Prior, J. D. Warren, J. H. Turner, D. W. Higgins, F. S. Barnard, C. Strouss, J. H. Todd, A. B. Gray, Joshua Davies, H. F. Heisterman, W. F. Wood. Mr. Justice Gray, Hon. Mr. Smithe, Hon. Mr. Robson and Mr. Joseph Boscowitz were present by invitation.

Mr. Rithet, president, after expressing the great satisfaction which the board, in common with the public generally, viewed the presence of a member of the Dominion cabinet, said that the board desired to bring to the notice of Mr. Chapleau certain federal matters, the working of which was not altogether satisfactory. He referred at first to the importance of removing the obstructions from Victoria harbor and the necessity of continuous dredging in the harbor.

Mr. Turner said that the removal of the obstructions was deemed of such vast importance that some had expressed a willingness to submit to additional tonnage dues on vessels entering and leaving the harbor to meet the expense.

Mr. Rithet hoped that Mr. Chapleau would not accept that suggestion as coming from the board.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau said that these were matters which did not belong to his department; but the board might rest satisfied with the assurance that he would lay the subjects before his colleagues, and, he had no doubt, they would be acted upon. Mr. Chapleau then addressed the deputation. He said his visit had afforded him great pleasure. He had thoroughly enjoyed the fine climate and the grand scenery of the country and the generous hospitality of the inhabitants. Every year in future a cabinet minister would visit British Columbia; and if a resident minister was not selected from the provincial representative it might happen that one of the visiting ministers would become so enchanted with the climate and the boundless resources of the country as to reside within its borders permanently. (Hear, hear.) Sir Hector Langevin always referred to British Columbia and his visit in enthusiastic terms. The government, he assured his hearers, were anxious to do all in their power to advance the interests of the province, and he was glad to find the people so generally happy and contented. He would take pleasure in laying the recommendations of the board before his colleagues and in urging their adoption wherever practicable. (Hear.)

Mr. Chapleau having set down amid much applause,

Mr. Rithet referred, next in order, to the delay in laying the second telegraphic cable across the straits. The cable was landed last March, and had since been stored here.

Mr. Baker, M. P., said there was an objection on the part of the United States government to allowing the cable to be landed on American soil. He also referred to Mr. Gisborne, superintendent of telegraphs, as being more theoretical than practical.

Mr. Rithet said that the Canadian government had first declined to allow an American company to land a cable on Vancouver Island.

Mr. Chapleau said that he recognized the importance of a second cable in case the present cable failed, and promised to have the matter looked into.

The fourth matter referred to postal arrangements, such as extension of time for closing the daily mail to ten p.m.; letter carriers in the city of Victoria; Cassiar and Northwest Coast mails, and a monthly mail to the West coast of Vancouver Island, and the necessity of higher grade clerks in the Victoria postoffice. These points were urged with considerable force and ability by the deputation.

Mr. Chapleau, in reply, referred to the great charge on the revenue of the postal department and to the heavy financial responsibility of the postmaster-general. He had no doubt there was room for improvement, and although the points advanced by the board did not come within his department he would see that they reached the proper quarter.

Mr. Rithet and Capt. Warren dwelt on the importance of fostering the west coast settlements by providing regular mail communication between Victoria and Alberni.

With respect to quarantine (which was one of the subjects that had been prepared for presentation to Mr. Chapleau,

Mr. Shakespeare said that Mr. Trutch had that morning informed him that the successful tenderer for erecting quarantine buildings at Albert Head had just signed the contract and the work would proceed immediately.

Immigration was next discussed.

Mr. Chapleau said that the Dominion government had given prominence to British Columbia in their handbook and were preparing a scheme to make the department of immigration still more effective.

Mr. Baker referred to the assisted immigration scheme of the Dominion government.

Hon. Mr. Robson spoke of the steps adopted by the provincial government to bring the province into notice abroad and the success which had attended their efforts to attract the right kind of immigration and said that advertising the country had been found of more avail than assisting immigrants.

Mr. Chapleau said that the experience of the Ottawa government had been similar to that of British Columbia.

Mr. A. B. Gray thought that the country had been too extensively advertised and that too many men of the laboring class had come into it. What were wanted were men with more or less capital to take up land and work it.

Hon. Mr. Robson replied that if Mr. Gray would read the provincial handbook he would know that the government had expressed almost precisely the views that e had enunciated.

Mr. Chapleau promised that every effort would be made to confine the immigration to suitable persons.

"Completion of graving dock as quickly as possible."

Mr. Chapleau said that since personally inspecting the site and inquiring into the commerce of the province he must express his extreme regret that this most important and necessary work was not already in course of completion. The Dominion government, however, had felt it their duty to move with the utmost deliberation in this matter, and having at last advertised for tenders, the board might rely upon an early commencement. (Hear).

"SHIPPING AND NAVIGATION LAWS RE TUGS, ETC."

Mr. Rithet drew attention to the want of proper protection for British tugs in these waters.

Mr. Boscowitz referred to the practice of American tugs in towing vessels that had left this port for another British port and were picked up in the straits and towed to Nanaimo or elsewhere.

Mr. Dunsmuir said that in two months American tugs earned $6,000, which by right belonged to provincial tugs.

Mr. Baker said the navigation laws of the Dominion were defective in so far as they failed to protect British tugs from unfair competition.

Mr. Rithet was of opinion that there was but one remedy for the evil—to make Victoria the only port of entry in the province.

Mr. Chapleau said the evil was undoubtedly great, and the grievance would be carried before the minister of marine.

With regard to legislation for insolvency, Mr. Chapleau said that if the Quebec system could be introduced here it would meet every requirement.

The board of trade further recommended that the foreshore on James Bay be passed over to the city council for the use of the city of Victoria.

After the interchange of a few further remarks the board took their leave of Mr. Chapleau

New Westminster.

(Columbian.)

Last Thursday Mr. S. Trapp and several other gentlemen were going from Hope to Emory on a hand car. The car jumped the track, and scattered its occupants about the country in attitudes much more striking than dignified. Mr. Trapp escaped with a lame back.

Mr. I. B. Fisher, agent of the Bank of British Columbia in this city, returned yesterday from a six months' tour in England. He was entertained at a dinner last night by his friends.

A few days ago Mr. Wm. Rae took possession of his new store, adjoining the Colonial Hotel. Mr. Rae was one of the heaviest sufferers by the fire last winter, but we are glad to know that he has been able to provide a building in every respect superior to the one that was burnt. The structure is of brick, 23x70 feet, and two stories high.

Two new post offices are to be opened on the river on the 1st of September. One at English's cannery is to be called "Lulu Island," and one at Agassiz's Landing is to be called "Ferny Coombe."

We understand that after the 1st of September the up-river mail will be carried on the railway, and the mail service on the steamers will cease.

The board of health has been making use of its authority, and some serious nuisances have disappeared within the past few days. There still remains a field for glory in the same direction.

Rev. J. W. Patterson, Methodist missionary for Spallumacheen, arrived from Ontario yesterday.

A Chilliwhack correspondent sends us a letter relating to Jacko, the wild man, who, he says, has been brought down for exhibition at Centerville. We suppose there is a good point in the joke, but we are really not able to discover it, and we are afraid our readers might be equally unfortunate.

On Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock, Mr. Howard Tilton, of the firm of Kyle & Tilton, and Miss Annie Maria Smith, neice of Mrs. Jas. Harvey, were married by the Ven. Archdeacon Woods at Holy Trinity church. The bridesmaids were Miss Ellard and Miss Maclure, and Mr. Shadwell supported the bridegroom. The wedding was a very quiet affair, as the steamer Idaho was waiting to take the party to Tacoma. We believe the honeymoon will be spent at Olympia, which is the birthplace of Mr. Tilton.

The Commission.

The Nanaimo Free Press of to-day takes great exception to the fact that the Chinese commission did not hold sittings while there, although a number were prepared to give valuable evidence on the question. The Free Press, in its usual hysterical style, says that the commission is a farce and thinks that justice has not been done to the British Columbians by it, and that efforts have been made to give one-sided evidence, and that in favor of the Celestial.

The steamer Sir James Douglas, conveying the commission party, arrived at Nanaimo Wednesday noon and visited the new public buildings, the Wellington and Vancouver Co. coal mines.

In the evening a deputation from the trades associations waited on the hon. gentleman and presented him with a lengthy address, in which they referred to the advantages of Nanaimo for the construction of a dry dock (!), and the evil of Chinese labor in the mines. Mr. Chapleau was urged to remain another day at Nanaimo. The hon. gentlemen stated that he had already received sufficient evidence to convince him that a very great grievance existed. He concluded his remarks by saying that he had learned sufficient of the Chinese evil to intimate that the Dominion government would bring in a restrictive measure at the next session of parliament.

Nanaimo.

(Free Press.)

On Wednesday, three loaded cars became detached from the locomotive on the track of the V. C. Company, near the site of the late office, started down the incline towards the wharf at a rapid rate. Mr. N. Johns, the brakeman, was fully equal to the emergency, and by a powerful application of the brakes, stopped their headlong career before any damage was effected.

An adjourned meeting of the county court will be held in this city by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, on Monday and Tuesday next, and at Comox on the 28th inst. The regular monthly sitting of the court will be held in this city on Sept. 12th, at 11 a. m.

Mr. W. E. Blacket is actively engaged in the construction of the new Howe Truss Bridge across the Nanaimo river. The structure is to be completed by the middle of September.

Tho steamship Santa Cruz arrived last evening from Portland with several tons of freight for Hirst Bros She will load coal at the V. C. Co.'s shutes.

Kamloops.

(Inland Sentinel.)

Mr. McGreggor returned from Victoria where he has purchased goods for his new store here, and will soon open up.

Mr. Joseph W. McKay, Indian agent for this district, is in town, and evidently is attentive to duty. His long experience in the country makes him familiar with his work, and it is to be hoped the native population will benefit by his visit.

On Tuesday morning two prospectors, Messrs. R. Woods and Andrew Huncker left the Dominion house, Kamloops, with the intention of going up North river to Lewis creek and then across to Adams lake. They will then ascend a stream at the head of the lake, their idea being to strike the gold range between the North Thompson and the Big Bend country.

MR. BEAVEN'S condition is very low; but a slight improvement was noticeable yesterday. His physicians are constantly in attendance.

Spence's Bridge.

(Inland Sentinel.)

August 11th.

The Board of License Commissioners were in session on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week, in consequence of delays in communications. Mr. Agassiz did not attend until Friday. The salary of Chief Inspector has been fixed by the board, subject to the approval of the governor in council, at $1,200 a year and $600 for travelling expenses. Three applications were received for the office—T. McKie Lambly, Esq., was elected.

Before J. Murray, A. Stevenson, M. Lumby, J. P.'s. Joseph Moore Hunter charged with assault with intent on Jas. Manson, was committed for trial at the forthcoming assizes. Hunter is confined in Spence's Bridge jail awaiting his trial. Manson is getting better and is able to move around; he had received three wounds with a knife, one on shoulder, two in the side.

Before J. Murray, J. P., M. Lumby, J. P., Friday Aug. 8th.—Oliver H. Evans, for aiding and abbetting to escape W. Abieshire, the man who struck Carey on the head with a shovel, causing his death—committed for trial—bonds were accepted, himself $2,000 and two securities of $1,000 each.

James Young, charged with aiding and abetting Abieshire in his assault on Carey—there not being sufficient evidence, the case was dismissed.

Track is expected to be laid to Drynock, six miles below Spence's Bridge, by the end of the week.

Mr. Murray is having a ditch constructed to bring water at a higher level from the magnificent falls below his property; this will ensure him a plentiful supply of water in the dryest season, so very necessary for his horticultural operations; he has suffered somewhat from a scarcity of water. Mr. Murray's vineyard has some 40 different varieties of grapes and they have a very fine display of fruit.

Temperance Meeting.

The mass meeting of the temperance societies, in Pandora Street Hall, was a decided success, there not being seating room. Hon. Jno. Robson occupied the chair, and in his opening remarks said that he had great pleasure in welcoming the new ministers to the platform. The opening piece by the temperance band showed a decided improvement in that organization lately. Mrs. Francis and Miss Gray sang a charming duet, which was encored. Rev. Donald Fraser, the new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, was the first speaker, and gave a stirring address and good counsel in temperance work. After the intermission the band played another selection, and Mr. Hamilton sang in good voice an Irish song. Rev. Mr. Percival was then introduced by the chairman, and delivered a very interesting address, giving reasons why stimulants were neither beneficial nor necessary, and citing some amusing instances. Both reverend gentlemen are good speakers, and were well received. A very pleasing banjo solo by a member of the band closed the programme, and the audience departed.

Accident.

A mishap occurred on Douglas street yesterday afternoon that came very nearly having a serious if not fatal result. Two teams with heavy loads were coming in opposite directions, when a horse and dog-cart came tearing along, driven by a son of Mr. D. Adams, who was accompanied by his little sister. The young man endeavored to drive between the teams, but the space was too narrow, and the cart struck against the whiffle-trees of the wagon with terrific force, throwing the little girl into the air, and in her descent almost striking her head against the hub of the wagon, but she miraculously escaped without any injury. The cart was thoroughly demoralized by the shock, the springs broke in pieces and the harness in tatters, the horse freeing himself completely from the cart. The young fellow held on to the horse, which was also unhurt. There is altogether too much reckless driving in our streets.

THE YALE WILD MAN.—A gentleman from Yale called on us yesterday to deny the story that the capture of the wild man above Yale was a fact. He had been credited with being its keeper, and has since been in receipt of letters from zoological gardens and circus proprietors in various parts of the continent asking his price for its disposal. He feels kind of mad about it—mad because he has not the wild man in stock—and wishes to inform the curiosity hunting public that he is not open for any offers.

THERE are a number of residences under course of erection on the Work estate, and teams hauling material are constantly crossing the sidewalk, breaking the planks and rendering the passage of pedestrians dangerous. The corporation has mended the breaks on several occasions, and the parties who drive over them should be made to suffer for their infractions of the by-law.

CORRECTION.—Our esteemed morning contemporary misquotes a remark of Hon. Mr. Chapleau on Friday while the commission was in progress, He is made to say that officials of integrity declared that the Chinese were brought here and sold as slaves. What Mr. Chapleau did say was that a flat contradiction in writing to the charge of slavery was given by Chinese officials of integrity.

WANTED.—The Oregonian of the 22d says: Ben. Levy, who is wanted here on a charge of seduction, went from Seattle to Victoria on Monday of this week by the steamer North Pacific, giving the name of B. Howard. He will probably take temporary residence there until the affair loses public interest."

THE RELIEF FUND.—The central committee of the Wellington Disaster Relief Fund desire to thank the employees of the Albion Iron Works for $203 forwarded to them. The list is about to be closed, and all those who wish to subscribe to the fund should do so at once. All monies may be forwarded to W. A. Lindsay, Nanaimo, treasurer of the fund.

NO MAIL.—For the past two days there has been no Eastern mail, and no advices have been received by the postal authorities as to the cause of detention, but it is supposed that it has been the result of an abcident.

PANIC AT LONDON HOUSE.—The panic has reached the London House, and Messrs. Shears & Page announce a grand clearance sale of their entire stock, to commence on Tuesday morning. Everything will be marked down below bedrock, as the firm are determined to clear their valuable stock.

POLICE COURT.—Albert Price, charged with stealing $120 from John Lewis, was remanded....Thos. Cashmore, for putting a dead cat near his neighbor's house, was discharged, there being no law to reach his case.

Court of Appeal.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J., and Justices Crease, McCreight and Walkem.)

SATURDAY, Aug. 23.

Jones and al vs. Carpenter—The Chief Justice delivered the judgment of the full court which reversed the decision of Mr. Justice Gray staying the hands of execution creditors and the sheriff and appointing a receiver and condemned the respondents in costs.

Hamilton vs Irving was partly heard; further hearing been postponed until Tuesday next.

MORE CHINAMEN.—Nine Chinamen were captured and taken from the Anderson this morning at Union wharf. They were stowed away in the hold, but the Furlong eyes of one of our inspectors discovered them. Under the vigilance of the customs force here it is becoming hazardous for Chinamen to travel without well authenticated certificates. The late work of the inspectors give promise of greatly retarding the unlawful emigration of the amorous Mongolian in the future.—P. T. Argus.

ISLAND RAILWAY.—A number of parties are going over the line located for the island railway from Nanaimo, with a view to tendering for the work. We understand that contracts will be let and the work gone on with at once.

STREETS WATERED.—The up-town streets were watered for the first time in many days on Friday night (not by the watering cart) but by the friendly intercession of the elements.

THE steamer Yosemite brought down a large consignment of general freight Saturday, and at the outer wharf took on board and brought in the bonded freight of the Mexico.

THE steamer Robert Dunsmuir arrived yesterday with 100,000 shingles for the Cowichan lumber yard, and took a general freight for the east coast from the outer wharf.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

AMERICAN LIVE STOCK IN CANADA.

A Horrible Murder in Vermont.

A RAILWAY ACCIDENT IN MASSACHUSETTS.

REPORTED ENGAGEMENT AT FOO CHOW.

Capture of Chinese Fleet—Two French Gunboats Sunk.

CANADA.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 23.—Sir John A. Macdonald, referring to Mr. Fremen's Wyoming cattle scheme, expressed unqualified condemnation of the project as detrimental to a vital interest of the Dominion, and fraught with the greatest danger to Canadian farmers and cattle raisers, and said it should be opposed.

EASTERN STATES.

ALBION, N. Y., Aug. 23.—The situation at the bank remains the same. Nothing can be known until the steel chest in the safe has been opened to-day. Depositors are offering their claims for 70 and 75 per cent. with no takers.

NEW YORK, Aug 23.—An official affidavit from Dora Buck requests the coroner to exhume the body of her brother, Private Henry, of the Greely expidition, and hold an autopsy and investigate the manner in which his death occurred.

MONTPELIER, Vt., Aug. 23.—This morning clerk W. Sanders, residing in East Montpelier, came to town and purchased a revolver. He put three cartridges into it and proceeded to the store of Daniel Carr. The latter was at his desk, when Sanders fired three times at him, one bullet taking effect in the neck, and the two others in the body. Carr died in a few moments. Sanders put the revolver in his pocket then walked out of the store and up the street. Workmen in an adjoining marble shop captured him. The murderer said, "I shot him and hope he is dead; I intended to kill him. Get your officers and do what you please with me." Sanders said he understood the penalty, and expected to be hanged. The cause of the shooting was jealousy by Sanders of his wife. The murdered man was sixty years old. He has left a family. Sanders had one son four months old which he took away from his wife yesterday, and placed with his brother.

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 23.—A train on South Bridge branch of New York and New England railroad ran off the track near Quinebang this morning. One passenger car and the smoker went down the bank 20 feet, but only fell over on the side. About thirty passengers were aboard, most of whom are seriously injured, but none fatally.

ALBION, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Experts have not yet penetrated the safe. One of the Burrows' family says: Warner has gone to Europe, and is confident nothing will be found in the safe. Cashier Coon still claims that depositors will be paid in full.

CHINA.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—A Shanghai dispatch at six this evening says: It is reported the French captured the Chinese fleet at Foo Chow. Two French gunboats were sunk.

A telegram from Pekin announces that Li Hung has been instructed to make pacific advances.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—Bradstreet Mercantile agency reports sixteen failures on the Pacific Coast, states and territories for the week ending yesterday, as compared with twenty eight for the previous week, and thirteen for the corresponding week of 1883.

TURKEY.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Advices from Saruna state that a serious uprising occurred at Deersim. The leaders refuse to acknowledge the authority of Turkey, and the governor is powerless to bring them to terms.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR is one of the most striking and pleasing characteristics and can easily be obtained by using Cingalese Hair Renewer. Price cents per bottle. For sale by all druggests. dwly

SECOND DISPATCH.

ANTI-JEWISH RIOTS IN RUSSIA.

Czar and Emperor to Meet.

THE CORDON RELIEF EXPEDITION.

A Horrible Crime Punished.

THE CRUSADE AGAINST MORMONS.

A Remarkable Cyclone.

EGYPT.

ASSUAM, Aug. 23.—The Nile continues to rise. Eight steamers will ascend the river to the first cataract. Col. Colville will go to Dongola. It is reported that the followers of the Mahdi are dying at the rate of thirty a day from some intestinal disease.

NEBRASKA.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 23.—A Mexican on Saturday assaulted a thirteen-year-old girl; fifteen miles west of this city. He was arrested on Monday at Bertrice and brought back. His victim is horribly mutilated, and fears are entertained that she will die. The Mexican was taken to her home, and the girl positively identified him. The officers were put under guard and the Mexican taken to the spot where he committed the crime and hanged. He made a full confession.

UTAH.

SATT LAKE, Aug. 23.—A private dispatch received here to-day says that the Mormon Elder Yuller of Provo was mobbed a day or two ago in Lawrence county, Tenn., being whipped with switches and warned to leave.

CANADA.

MONTREAL, Aug. 23.—It is stated that cattle shippers here have lost heavily. One firm, it is said, dropping a quarter of a million and another $100,000 during the past three years.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, It is ascertained that there is no cholera on board the steamer Barnesmor.

RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 23.—Bitterness against the Jews in the Russian provinces is increasing. An outbreak occurred at Kubia Transcaucassia, owing to a report that the Jews had stolen a Christian child. The mob assaulted the Jews' quarter and made threats of a general massacre. The riots had only began when the child was found. Further outrages are feared in Southern Russia.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Aug. 23.—The Czar and Emperor will meet early in September, possibly at Stetten.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—Li Fong left here at 8 o'clock this evening.

NEWILLY, Aug. 23.—The trial of bank burglars in progress here resulted in the conviction of four prisoners upon whom sentence was pronounced to-day. Cornet was condemned to death and Margott to life-long servitude. The other two were sentenced to 8 and 10 years.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 23.—Ten deaths from cholera in this city to-day.

TEXAS.

GALVESTON, Tex., Aug. 23.—The News Dallas special says: A small cyclone struck the end of the Lamar street this afternoon, tearing a deep hole, rising again with great velocity and carrying a body of sand two feet in diameter to a height of over 500 feet. A valuable dog was carried up 80 feet and fell to the ground lifeless. The cyclone continued only a few minutes. It came without warning. The sky was clear and weather warm when suddenly a funnel-shaped cloud of inky blackness swiftly struck the earth like a cannon ball and rising instantly.

AFRICA.

ADEN, Aug. 23.—The wrecked steamer Aveyron left Saigoin July 24th with men returning to France. The British man-of-war Briton has been dispatched to Cape Guardafin to render assistance.

EASTERN STATES.

OLD ORCHARD, Maine, Aug. 23.—A one mile swimming match between Prof. Thos. Riley, champion of Africa, and Capt. Henry Simpson, champion of England, resulted in favor of Riley who made the distance in 23:10; Simpson's time, 23:40.

DALUTH, Minn., Aug. 23.—Little & Simmonds' sawmill and lumber yards were burned to-night. Fire at midnight still raging. Loss already $125,000; insurance $95,000.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—The sale of the Oakland Times newspaper, under order of the Superior court of Alemeda county, has been announced for August 26th, to satisfy a judgment for $4200.

AUCTION SALES.

NAVAL

Auction Sale.

On Wednesday, Sept, 3rd, 1884,

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Will sell by Public Auction, at the Naval Yard, Esquimalt, at 11 O'CLOCK A. M. precisely, on the above date,

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ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the said estate will please send the same in at once; and all persons indebted are requested to pay at once to the undersigned.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator.
Victoria, August 19th, 1884. au20 2m

Messages of Love or Hate.

"Do I know anything of the language of postage stamps?" said a well known stationery dealer yesterday. "I don't know of any book on the subject, if that is what you mean, but I have heard the signification of some of the ways of placing them on envelopes. For instance, if the writer is a gentleman who wishes to express love for a fair damsel he inclines the label toward the left, which method is repeated by the lady if she is favorable to his suit. If, on the contrary, she wishes to give him the cold shoulder she inclines her label to the right. A stamp in a perpendicular posture signifies simple admiration; when the bust stands on its head it means that the only sentiment evoked by the suppliant is ridicule. If the stamp lies on its face it indicates that the writer is dying for love; it it is lying on its back then the writer has got over his attack of heart disease. A label may be placed wrong way up with an inclination to the left that tells a story of hopeless attachment, while should it be leaning towards the right hand corner it is a sign that the affection is unrequited."

"Are there any other signs?"

"Yes, such as sticking the label in odd places on the envelope, in wrong corners, using two or even three stamps, making kisses around them, near them or in propinquity to them. These have various meanings and may all be included in the language of postage stamps."

"Did you ever know of any one using this mode of communication?"

"If you promise not to give me away I will tell you of a postage stamp correspondence in which I myself once was a principal participant."

"My honor as a gentleman."

"That's good enough. Well, it's about ten years ago. I hope you won't be shocked to hear that this correspondence grew out of my being a regular attendant at church?"

"Not at all. That makes it all the more interesting."

"I suppose it does, so many similar correspondences have arisen from a like cause. I have for years been a member of St. Peter's Episcopal church, at Third and Pine streets. One Sunday, ten years ago, I was desperately struck with the appearance of a young lady who sat in a pew on the opposite side of the aisle to me. Never mind the details—after some inquiries I found out who she was but could not obtain an introduction."

"What did you do?"

"I got from a friend of mine some information about the postage stamp language and the language of flowers. Every Sunday morning I managed to get to church in time to place a small bouquet of flowers in her pew, together with an empty envelope with the stamp affixed in a certain way. After awhile she discovered who her unknown admirer was. What is more she learned the stamp language and in return she would leave an envelope stamped in the pew for me. This silent courtship continued for nearly eight months, when, one lucky day, I found an acquaintance who knew the family. I need not tell you that I soon became acquainted, too. To make a long story short, the lady is now my wife."

"Indeed! That is certainly a happy and fitting ending to so romantic a courtship."

"There are one or two other things you might say about the sticking on of stamps if you are going to publish this."

"Such as——"

"Well, I fancy some of the stampers at the postoffice would feel obliged to you if you would recommend foolish young people who are anxious to appear eccentric, not to put their stamps in any corner but the upper right-hand one. It will lift a weight of sin off the stamper's shoulders."

"But how about the language?"

"Easily arranged. If a square place is penciled off on the right-hand upper corner of the envelope the stamp can be affixed in any manner that may be chosen. By the by, there is one curious sign in the stamp language you might mention."

"What is that?"

"Pasting the stamp on with the mucilage upward."

"What on earth does that mean?"

"That the sticker on is a confounded idiot, and most probably drunk. Good morning."—*Philadelphia Times.*

One of the Gettysburg Stories.

While in Gettysburg last week I had an interview with Mrs. Peter Thorn, who was at Gettysburg at the time of the battle there, and was told by her the following, which I think has never yet been printed. The story has been corroborated by a number of people of that place, and I have every reason to believe it to be true. Mrs. Thorn lived in the house at the entrance of the Borough cemetery. The house was used as headquarters by Gen. O. O. Howard. Mrs. Thorn's husband was away from home at that time (serving in the One Hundred and Forty-eighth Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers, and stationed in Virginia), leaving her with two quite young children. During the first day of the fight General Howard wanted some one to show him and tell him about the different roads leading from Gettysburg, and asked a number of the men and boys who were in the cellar of the house to go with him and point them out. But these persons were all fearful, and refused to go. Then Mrs. Thorn showed her courage and patriotism by voluntarily offering to show the roads. This offer was at first refused by General Howard, who said he did not wish a woman to do what men had not the courage to do. Mrs. Thorn persisted in her offer, saying: "Somebody must show you, and I can do it. I was born and brought up around here and now the roads as well as anybody." Her offer was accepted, and, with the General and his horse between her and the fire of the enemy, Mrs. Thorn went from one place to another pointing out the different roads. When passing along the line of troops the General was greeted with: "Why do you take a woman for a guide? This is no place for her." "I know it," said the officer, "but I could not get a man to come; they were all afraid." This answer to them started cheers for Mrs. Thorn, which lasted several minutes, and showed that our soldiers admired the courage shown at such a time.—*Letter to the Waterbury (Ct.) American.*

The effect of the riot on Cincinnati justice is seen in the depleted cells of the jail. Within three months over forty people have been taken to the penitentiary. Two murderers have been sentenced to be hanged, two are awaiting sentence, one awaiting a life sentence, and three for manslaughter. There are but twenty-three prisoners awaiting trial.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO., LIMIT'D

Taking effect from July 4th Steamers will leave as follows, viz:—

EAST COAST ROUTE.

FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
Saanich					7 A. M.	
Cowichan	7 A. M.				7 A. M.	
Burgoyne Bay			7 A. M.			
Maple Bay	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Vesuvius Bay	7 A. M.				7 A. M.	
Chemainus	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Nanaimo	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
Ladner's Landing	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
New Westminster	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Port Hammond	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Plumper Pass					7 A. M.	

NOTE—Steamers leaving Victoria Mondays and Fridays connect at New Westminster for Hope and al way Landings.

Freight for Yale and Points in the Interior must be shipped via Port Hammond and Shippers ar requested to mark weight on each package.

No freight will be received after 5 p.m.

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Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Tax.	Description of Parcels, Sec. or Lots.	Amt.
Anderson, Robert	Real and personal	Part of Sections lxviii, lxxix, 291 acres, Victoria Dist	$31 60
	" "	Part of Section xxxiii, 100 acres, Victoria District	
Brydges, George	"	" lvii, xlxxi, 38 acres	14 99
Bradbury, J. W.	"	Section v, Range I.E., 100 acres, North Saanich	4 50
Brown, J. H	"	Sections cxxxv, cxxxvi, 115 acres, Lake District	3 00
Bartleman, Peter	"	Section iii, Range II. W., 100 acres, South Saanich	5 00
Ceazer, Randall	"	Section lxvii, 100 acres, Lake District	5 0
Drummond, Mrs. J. S	"	Section ii, Lot 2, 20 acres, Victoria District	7 50
Finnerty, J., Estate of	" and personal	Part of Sections lxv, lxxxv, Lot 6, and Section lxxvi, Lots 21, 22, 36, 101 acres, Victoria District	20 00
Green, Rowland E.	"	Part of Sections xix. and lxviii, 2¼ acres, Victoria Dis.	6 00
Houlihan, James	" and wild land	" xlv. and lxxxv, Lot 3, 88 acres, "	9 68
King, Jabez	"	" xxvii, 64 acres "	23 40
Lomax, John	" and wild land	" xxi, part of Lot A., 5 acres "	2 80
Lesh, C. C	" "	Section xxix, 83 acres, Lake District. [Victoria Dist	6 48
McKay, Joseph W	"	" i, ix, iii, ic, iv, Fairfield Est., pt. Lot 76, 5 ac.,	10 00
McNeil, Wm., Estate of	"	Part of Section xxii, 254¼ acres, Victoria District	25 00
Mitton, S. G	" and wild land	Section cxx, 100 acres, Lake District	6 90
Nicholson, George	" and personal.	Part of Sections lxv. and lxvi, 68 acres, Victoria Dist	9 25
Pollard, Wm	" and wild land	" ix, Lots 2 & 3, Vic., ¼ N.E. ¼ Sec. xviii, 39¼ ac.,	17 50
Pendolo, Angelo F	" "	" xxix & xxx, Lot 50, 5 ac., Vic. Dis. [Barclay	2 55
Phillips, James	"	" ii, vi, viii, x, 11¼ acres "	11 63
Page, William	"	Part of Section xviii, Range II. E., 1 acre N. Saanich	38
Steinberger, W.	" and personal	" x, Range I. & II. W., 165 acres, "	19 46
Tod, Sym	"	Part of Section ii, 56 acres, Victoria	22 40
	"	" ii, xxviii, lxi, 18 acres, Victoria	
Unknown	" "	Sections xxix. & xxx, Lot 23, 5 acres, Victoria	2 5
Ah One	Personal	Victoria District	1 2
Keddy, John	"	"	3 0
Song Lee	"	Lake District	2 5

And, in accordance with the law, I hereby give notice that I shall offer for sale, by Public Auction, any lands of persons assessed by me on which taxes, including Personal Property Tax, together with the cost of advertising and other expenses, remaining unpaid on the day of sale.

Under the statute, persons liable to pay taxes imposed by the Assessment Acts are personally liable for the amount thereof, and all lands of such persons situate within the Province are also liable therefor. The taxes are a charge on such lands having preference over any claim, lien, privilege or incumbrance of any party, except the Crown, and does not require Registration to preserve it.

The above sale will take place on Monday, 1st September, 1884, at the Government Buildings, James' Bay, Victoria, at 12 o'clock, noon.

R. JONES,
Assessor and Collector.

Victoria, B.C., July 31st, 1884. au1

SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

Taxes remaining unpaid in Esquimalt, Highland, Metchosin, and Sooke Districts, on account of Assessment made in 1883. Tax collectable on and after 2nd January 1884.

Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Tax.	Description of the Parcels, Sections, or Lots.	Amt.
Allsop, Thomas	Real and wild land	Section xxxvii., 143 acres, Sooke District	$ 9 33
Butcher, T. H.	"	Sec. xxxi., Subdivisions 19, 26, 27 of L. 103, 104, Block	63
Bowman, W. G.	" and personal	Secs. iv. & xix., 291 acres, Metchosin [N., Esquimalt.	15 75
Chilovick, E.	"	Suburban lot xliii., Lots 18, 24 and 25, Esquimalt	1 12
Halliday, Benjamin	and wild land	Sub. lots xxxiii., xxxiv., ¼ xlix., li, ¾ lot l., 20¼ ac."	
Jones, Charles S.	"	Section xxxi., Lot 54, Block H., Esquimalt	
Levy, Charles, Estate of	"	Section xxxi., Lot 49, Block L., Esquimalt	
Nagle, J., Estate of	"	Sub. lot li., Subdivision 4 of Lot 6, Lot 7, Esquimalt.	3 00
Powell, I. W.	"	" xlv and xxxviii., Lots 1, 2, 23, 24, 46, 47, 48, 49,	
		85, 86, 87, Section xxvi. Lot 2, 1 acre, Esquimalt	6 30
Sellick, William	" and personal	Sub. lots xix. and xxi. Lots 28, A, B, C, D, E, F, J, Esq.	77 50
Scovill, E. T.	"	Section xxxi., Lot 18, Lime Bay, Esquimalt	37
Sandford, B. H.	"	" lxiv., 100 acres, Esquimalt	3 00
Waterhouse, Thomas	"	Sub. lots xix. & xxi., Lot 11, also part 194 ft. frontage,	16 5
Yei Lei Chung	"	" xix. & xxi., Lot 12 [41 K, Esquimalt	3 0

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TO THE PUBLIC.

THE EXPLOSION WHICH OCCURRED IN THE Wellington Collieries on the 30th ultimo thereby causing the death of 23 persons, has left almost destitute seven families, consisting of widows and nearly thirty children. Voluntary subscriptions have been forwarded to aid those in distress, and a Central Committee has been formed who will thankfully receive contributions or communications in reference to the same

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I SHALL APPLY TO the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the issuance of a Crown Grant to the lot or parcel of land known as the "Kootenay Chief" mine, which is more fully described as to metes and bounds by the official plat, and by the field notes of survey thereof, on file at the office of the Gold Commissioner for Kootenay District.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground or premises, or any portion thereof, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed within the time prescribed by the Act, 47 Vic., ch. 10, they will be barred by the provisions of the said Statute.

GEO. J. AINSWORTH.
Victoria, July 15th, 1884. jy23

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I SHALL apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the issuance of a Crown Grant to the lot or parcel of land known as the "Comfort" mine, which is more fully described as to metes and bounds by the official plat, and by the field notes of survey thereof, on file in the office of the Gold Commissioner for Kootenay District.

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C. J. WOODBURY,
Per THOS. HAMMILL, Agent
Victoria, B.C. July 15th, 1884. jy23

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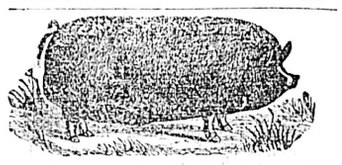

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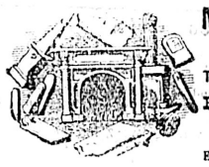

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Names.	No. of Certif.	No. of Shares	Amt.
M. McInnis	1232	200	$1 00
Geo Mead	1199	100	50
T. A. Spilsbury	1200	1000	5 00
do	1201	1000	5 00
do	1202	545	2 78
Mrs. McCarthy	1144	100	50
Wm. Able	952	500	2 50
Nelson Hunt	953	1000	5 00
do	962	500	2 50
H. Featherstone	922	250	1 25
do	1096	500	2 50
do	1159	250	1 25
Donald Manson	902	200	1 00
T. Harper	706	395	1 98
J. P. Null	709	272	1 36
John Chipp	714	200	1 00
do	719	50	25
Chas. McInnis	577	300	1 50
do	1067	1000	5 00
do	1120	500	2 50
do	1210	636	3 18
O. St. Cyre	1168	500	2 50
do	1169	500	2 50

And in accordance with law, and on order of the Board of Trustees made on the 21st June, 1884, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at McLean's Hall, Quesnelle, B.C., on the 21st August, at 12, m., of said day, to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

W. A. JOHNSTON,
Secty Q.Q.M.Co. (Lim.), Quesnelle, B.C.

Quesnelle, B.C., July 29th, 1884.

The sale of the above mentioned Stock has been postponed until 12, m., of SATURDAY, the 30th August, 1884.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. A. JOHNSTON,
Secty Q.Q.M.Co.

Quesnelle, 3rd August, 1884. au10dwtd

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21st July, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ORder published in the British Columbia Gazette of 6th March last, directing that Section 9 of the "Mineral Act, 1884," shall not have effect in the Electoral Districts of Cassiar, Kootenay and Cariboo, has been rescinded, so far as it relates to the Electoral District of Cariboo.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
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